



Sermon Notes

Title: Rekindle the Romance

Scripture: Song of Solomon 7:1-8:14

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Five Song of Solomon TAKE-AWAYS to Rekindle Romance:

1. Romance involves giving your spouse some attention.

Phil 2:2 (NIV) then make my joy complete by being like-minded, having the same love, being one in spirit and purpose. Do nothing out of selfish ambition or vain conceit, but in humility consider others better than yourselves. Each of you should look not only to your own interests, but also to the interests of others.

DISTRACTIONS:

Familiarity

Complacency

2. Romance involves giving your spouse some affirmation

1 Th 5:11 (NIV) Therefore encourage one another and build each other up,

DIVERSIONS:

Physical/Emotional Exhaustion

Increased Financial Burdens

3. Romance involves giving your spouse some affection

1 Cor 7:3-4 (NIV) The husband should fulfill his marital duty to his wife, and likewise the wife to her husband. The wife's body does not belong to her alone but also to her husband. In the same way, the husband's body does not belong to him alone but also to his wife.

DISTURBANCES:

The Right Atmosphere matters:

Song of Solomon

- Personal Hygiene (4:11, 7:8a-9)
- Complimenting Words (1:15-16)
- Attractive Attire (1:10-11)
- Bedroom Atmosphere (1:17)
- Affectionate Touching (2:6)
- Special Places (7:12,8:5)
- Fragrances (1:12-14)
- Intimate Talk (head to toe, toe to head) (4:16, 7)

4. Romance involves giving your spouse some adventure

Ecclesiastes 9:9 (NIV) Enjoy life with your wife, whom you love,"

DESTRUCTION: #1 cause of affairs is boredom.

5. Romance involves giving your spouse some assurance.

John 3:16 (NLT) "For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him will not perish but have eternal life.

DEVOTION:

A Perfect Love Relationship:

A PERFECT GIVER-Unconditional

A PERFECT GIFT-Sacrifice

A PERFECT GRACE-Undeserved & Unearned

A PERFECT GET AWAY-Eternal Promise

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